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1. Supplementary Partial European Search Report for John H. HEALEY and Gene R. DIRESTA, European Patent Application No. 00911738, filed September 2, 2000. **[Exhibit 1]**
2. International Application Publication No. WO 96/39107, Merck & Co., Inc., et al., entitled "Bisphosphonate Cement Composition to Prevent Aseptic Loosening of Orthopedic Implant Devices," published December 12, 1996". **[Exhibit 2]**

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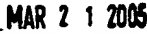
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